

that it is his desire to be retained under a Democratic administration. Marshal Randall will resume business at his old stand in Indianapolis as soon as his successor is appointed. When he finally does leave Washington it will be with the regret of a multitude of friends, whom he has made during his stay at the national capital, and who wish him good fortune and happiness throughout life.

#### TO POSTAL CLERKS AND POSTMASTERS.

Commemorative Letters from Mr. Wansmaker.—Tribute to Faithful Public Servants.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Enclosed copies of the following letter were to-day sent by Postmaster-general Wansmaker to each of the six thousand railway postal clerks now in service:

The Postoffice Department at Washington is in receipt of a memorial of the four clerks—George C. Mann, John D. Patterson, David E. Reese and Harry S. Allen—who were killed in the railroad wreck at Shreve, O., on Sept. 21, 1892. I cannot look upon the portraits of these four young men without being thrilled by the story of their heroism. It is a record of "faithfulness unto death." They were in the line of duty, standing guard and doing service not unlike that of the soldier on the battlefield. I take the occasion of the acceptance of this memorial from the Cincinnati division of the railway postal clerks for the walls of the American Postal Museum to assure you of my deep sense of appreciation of your valuable service as a railway postal clerk, and my earnest hope that the labors, dangers and sacrifices connected with your work, so rapidly moving trains, night and day, all the year round, may be taken into the account in future plans for the advancement of the postal service.

Mr. Wansmaker has also mailed to each postmaster in the country the following letter of commendation:

I desire officially to recognize the important service you have rendered as postmaster under the administration of President Harrison. Whatever has been accomplished in the advancement of the service has only been possible through the fidelity and zeal of those associated with the Postmaster-general. In making this acknowledgment of your valuable assistance I beg that in the future, whether in or out of office, you will continue your interest in the postal service and study to promote in every possible way its extension and improvement.

#### FOREIGN WAR SHIPS COMING.

Nearly All the Nations of the World to Be Represented at Our Naval Display.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—The Navy Department has received answers from all the governments invited to participate in the great naval display in honor of the discovery of America. In response to dispatches of inquiry from the State Department sent last Saturday to the five nations that had not acknowledged the invitation of the United States, three declinations and two acceptances have been received. Austria, Turkey and Greece, including Roumania and Servia, are obliged to decline the invitation to participate, the reason given in each case being that no vessels are available. Germany and Russia accept. Germany will send two armored cruisers, the Kaiserin and Augusta, and the cruiser Sea Adler. Russia will send a large fleet, and will probably have the largest representation of any nation in the ceremonies. The Russian fleet will include the battleship, the armored cruiser, the corvette Rynda, with Vice Admiral Koznakoff commanding. Two or three other vessels will leave Cronstadt when the ice yields. They would probably be the battleship Emperor Nicholas and the armored cruisers Nachinnoff and Famine. Great Britain has accepted the invitation, but the fleet has not been definitely selected. The flagships Blake and several vessels of the north Atlantic squadron are at present, and it is probable that one or two cruisers will also be sent over. Italy will send the cruisers Etna, Hannan and Dogali, and perhaps the transport Salaria, the Rear Admiral Magnaghi. Spain will be represented by the cruisers Reina, Regente, and Infanta Isabel, and the gunboat Espana. The Dutch Government will send a suite will sail for America on the American line steamer New York, April 8. France has virtually accepted the invitation to participate, but no vessels have yet been designated. Brazil will send the ironclad Aquidaban, and the cruisers Republica and Gradadon. From the Netherlands will come one frigate of the first class, the Van Speyk. Uruguay has declined on the ground that no vessels are available.

#### MINOR MATTERS.

Secretary Noble Tells a Story Relating to His Life at the National Capital.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Secretary Noble will return to his home in St. Louis as soon as possible after being relieved by the incoming Secretary. He expects to be able to leave Washington next Tuesday afternoon. He will at once resume the practice of law. In conversation with a friend to-day, the Secretary said that in very many respects his official life in Washington had been extremely pleasant. It had involved a vast amount of hard work, but, on the whole, it had been work that was agreeable to him. Nevertheless, he had much as did the runaway negro before the war, when he was on his way to Canada and was met by a countryman who questioned him as to the treatment he had received at the hands of his master.

"Didn't you have enough to eat?" the countryman asked.

"Yes."

"And enough to wear?"

"Yes."

"And a warm place to sleep?"

"Yes."

"Then what did you run away for?"

"Say, boss, the negro replied, 'If you think you'd like the place it's open to ye.'"

Struck a Democratic Snag.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—A snag has been struck in the Senate in the progress of the block and linen tariff bills, and the indications are that the bills, after having passed the House, will fail.

Some of the Democratic Senators insist that if the bills are taken up they will move to add to them the various special tariff bills sent by the House last session attacking the wool, binder twine, cotton bagging and other schedules of the McKinley tariff bill, which are now in effect. The result has been to kill the prospects for the two bills.

Governor Russell's Tribute to McKinley.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Governor Russell entertained at luncheon to-day the members of his staff and the Democratic members of Congress from Massachusetts. Governor Russell, in the course of the entertainment, proposed a toast to Governor McKinley, of Ohio, and asked that he be drunk standing.

"Governor McKinley, a manly man in misfortune. Stronger than politics is friendship and stronger than political principles is human sympathy."

Dismissed for Telling a "Bald" Lie.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Warner Holt, of Missouri, a third-class clerk in the Pension Office, has been dismissed for having stated to a member of Congress that pensions were being granted for "baldness."

General Harrison Will Lecture on Law.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—President Harrison this evening accepted a professorship in the

Leland Stanford University of California. He will deliver a series of lectures on constitutional law, commencing in October next. He has had the matter under consideration for some time, but did not signify his formal acceptance until this evening.

#### General Notes.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—The President has appointed the son of Admiral Brown, U. S. N., of Indianapolis, to a cadetship at the Annapolis Naval Academy.

Joseph Homan and wife, of Crawfordsville, are in the city.

Controller of the Currency Hepburn will resign about the first of May and accept the presidency of a loan and trust company in New York.

Deputy Controller Nixon has consented, at the request of Mr. Hepburn, to remain in his present position till Mr. Hepburn is ready to leave Washington. Mr. Nixon has accepted the position of president of the Fifth National Bank of Cincinnati, but he will not enter upon his duties till he leaves his federal office.

Immigration superintendent Owen intends to hand in his resignation, to President Cleveland on next Monday, and hopes to be released from office at once. Mr. and Mrs. Owen have arranged to leave Washington for their home at Lozanoport by the end of next week. Mr. Owen will devote much of his time to the fuel gas business, having purchased the right for its manufacture in Iowa and Nebraska.

The well-known Siberian lecturer, who has been in for three weeks at his home in this city of typhoid-malarial fever, is now convalescent. He was obliged to cancel his engagements for February and March, but expects to fill the latter.

Senator-elect W. N. Roach, of North Dakota, was on the floor of the Senate to-day, and was introduced to members on both sides of the chamber.

Associate Justice Jackson, of the United States Supreme Court, arrived in Washington this afternoon at Nashville and met some of his colleagues in the Supreme Court. The court will recess after its recess, Saturday morning, and the newly appointed justice will then take the oath of office. The court will then adjourn in order to participate in the inaugural ceremonies.

#### THROWN INTO ICE WATER.

Seven Persons Injured, and Possibly Two Drowned, by an Accident at a Lanching.

BAY CITY, Mich., March 2.—To-day F. A. Wheeler & Co. laid the keel of the steel steamer Centurian, their one-hundredth boat, with appropriate ceremonies, in the presence of six thousand people. In the afternoon the schooner Mary E. McLachlin was launched, and during this proceeding an accident occurred, the exact results of which cannot now be told. The steamer Forbes was lying in a slip into which the schooner plunked, on her upper deck being about a dozen men and boys. The sudden descent of the boat caused the steamer to lurch, and when she recovered her keel the shock broke the rail and sent the mass of struggling people into the water. They fell amid broken ice and planks that had been carried down by the schooner. As soon as possible the work of rescue began, and in five minutes the following had been taken from the water: George Doyle, ankle broken, head badly cut; Frank Balcourt, left arm and leg broken; injured about body, probably fatally; William Ballzill, cut about face and hand; Lee McCauley and William McLean, injured about hands and feet by ice; Jerome Prozer and Joseph Clark, cut by ice.

Eye witnesses of the accident were positive that there were more people under the ice, and a diver was sent down to the bottom of the river. On account of the disturbed condition of the water he was unable to do anything. If anyone was drowned the current has carried the bodies out under the ice into the river and recovery is impossible now. Three hats, whose owners could not be found, were recovered from the water. It is not known whether they were left by people in a hurry to get to a warm place or belong to some unfortunate whose bodies are now in the water. The winter rumors are in circulation that it is believed not more than two persons were drowned.

#### Have of a Pallet and Flywheel.

LOWELL, Mass., March 2.—An iron pulley on a dynamo at the power house of the Electric Street Railway Company burst to-day. A piece of the pulley struck a big flywheel of the engine. It was smashed in and sent flying in all directions, shattering the building. A. H. Condit, the driver, was killed. He was struck on the head by a piece of iron and died in a few minutes. George Langley, an older hand, and perhaps the most experienced of all the electric cars in the city for an hour.

#### BAPTIST COLLEGE BURNED.

Twenty Girls Compelled to Jump from Windows—Six Seriously Injured.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 2.—The Arkansas Baptist College buildings, established here six years ago by the colored Baptists for the education of girls, was burned about 3 o'clock this morning. About twenty students slept in the building, and how many escaped from the burning wooden tinder box is inexplicable. All were compelled to jump, and of the twenty, six were badly injured, two—Flora Neely and Hattie Turner—so seriously that they will die, the former having her back broken and the latter receiving internal injuries. The others were: Ada Harris, teacher from Oberlin, O., leg broken; Mary Pratt, Little Rock, internally, but will recover; Irene Reed, Detroit, Ark., arm broken; Mary Neelley, cook, leg and arm injured. Loss, \$8,000; insurance, \$4,000. The office of the Arkansas Vanguard was also destroyed. The fire is believed to have been incendiary, two previous attempts to burn the college having been made.

#### Epidemic of Fires.

FALL RIVER, Mass., March 2.—Five fires have occurred in this city within twenty-seven hours, the last being discovered at 9:40 to-night, in the top of the Durfee Block, corner of Main and Central streets. The fire is still burning, but is under control. The losses are variously placed at from \$30,000 to \$50,000, covered by insurance.

#### OBITUARY.

R. M. Bishop, of Cincinnati, Who Served Two Years as Governor of Ohio.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 2.—R. M. Bishop, late Governor of Ohio, died at his residence here this morning at the residence of his son, in this city, where he had been ill for five weeks past with a complication of affections, and his remains will be taken to Cincinnati for interment.

Ex-Governor Bishop was eighty years and asked last November. In the summer of 1877 he was nominated for Governor of Ohio by the Democratic party and was elected after a spirited and memorable contest. He served as Governor from January, 1878, till January, 1880.

#### Other Deaths.

St. Louis, March 2.—James Richardson, the founder of the Richardson Drug Company, died of pleurisy at his home here in the seventy-sixth year of his age. Mr. Richardson came to St. Louis in 1855 and retired from business several years ago, after the fire. He was married, his wife, J. Clifford and James, and two married daughters survive him.

LONDON, March 2.—The death of Prof. William Minto is announced. He was the author of a number of works, including several novels. For years he was editor of the Examiner, now extinct, and afterwards became a leading writer in the Daily News and the Pall Mall Gazette. In 1880 he was appointed professor of logic at Aberdeen.

#### GENERAL WEATHER BULLETIN.

Indications for To-Day.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—For Indiana and Illinois—Showers to-night, clearing early Friday; colder; northwesterly winds and a moderate cold wave in south portion Friday or Friday night.

For Ohio—Light rain or showers in the evening shifting to northwesterly; colder Saturday morning.

#### Local Weather Report.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 2.

Time. Bar. Ther. R.H. Wind. Weather. Precip.

7 A.M. 30.14 33 71 East. Clear. 0.00

7 P.M. 29.80 32 60 S.W. Cloudy. T.

Maximum temperature, 60; minimum temperature, 31. The following is a comparison of the temperature and precipitation for March 2, 1893:

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#### POPE LEO CONGRATULATED

Presented with an Address from Cardinals on His Eighty-Third Birthday.

Five Thousand Orangemen Protest Against Home Rule, Make Threats and Burn Effigies of Gladstone and Morley.

#### EIGHTY-THREE YEARS OLD.

Pope Leo Congratulated by His Cardinals on His Birthday Anniversary.

ROME, March 2.—This is the birthday of Pope Leo, who was born March 2, 1810. The cardinals now in Rome made a visit of congratulation to his Holiness, who received them in the throne room of the Vatican. The cardinals presented an address congratulating the Pope on the advanced age which Providence has permitted him to attain, and expressing earnest wishes for the prolongation of his life. In replying to the address Pope Leo expressed gratitude to God for having permitted him to serve the church for so many years. He said that the enthusiasm attending the jubilee had added lustre and glory to the church. The Pope then turned to the cardinals and social and political upheavals that enthusiasm showed that the instinct of common salvation impelled people to cling to the bosom of the church in which salvation was found and to hold on firmly to the cornerstone, apart from which there was no cornerstone and no basis for order.

#### REBELLIOUS ULSTER.

Orangemen Threaten to Resort to Arms—Gladstone and Morley Burned in Effigy.

BELFAST, March 2.—During the five hours of the day, the great Orangemen meeting held to-day, Dr. Kane, who presided, said that Ulster was prepared to defend herself to the last against the proposals of the home-rule bill. The men of Ulster need not feel, however, that they would be alone and unaided in the fight for their liberties. They had the sympathies of Englishmen of all classes throughout the world. He had received letters from military and police officers in England and Ireland and telegrams from Canada, Australia, promising co-operation with the men of Ulster if the latter resorted to arms to defend their liberties against the tyranny of their historic foe. A resolution was passed that the bodies of Gladstone and Morley were to be burned in effigy to resist to the death the home-rule bill. William Johnson, M. P. for South Belfast, who called the meeting, concluded a speech by saying that he was a member of the Ulster Unionist League, and he never would submit to the laws of a Dublin parliament.

Dr. Kane then tore to pieces and threw to the winds a copy of the home-rule bill, and the meeting adjourned.

This evening effigies of Mr. Gladstone and Mr. Morley were burned in High street in presence of a cheering crowd of thousands.

#### HONDURAS INVADED.

The Republic Again in the Threats of Revolution—Abdication of the President.

NEW ORLEANS, March 2.—A gentleman of this city has received a letter from Honduras bringing the information that that country is again in a state of revolution. It seems that the country has again been invaded by Policarpio Bonilla and his friends in the southern part of the republic. The first event act of the revolutionists was directed by Gen. Manuel Bonilla, who was prominent in the last revolution, and was recently pardoned by the Honduran government for his part in the rebellion. Gen. Bonilla attacked the barracks at Juticalpan, Olancho, Feb. 13, and captured the entire garrison and its arms. A fierce battle was fought, and the soldiers, several of whom were killed, among them the Mayor of the place and the leading officers. President Leonidas was the last to fall. The revolutionists were then in possession of the place, and the Honduran government fled to Tegucigalpa. The revolutionists were then in possession of the place, and the Honduran government fled to Tegucigalpa.

#### GENERAL FOREIGN NEWS.

Plot Against M. Clemenceau—Arton's Mistaken Refusal to Betray the Panama Briber.

LONDON, March 2.—The Paris correspondent of the Times says: "The recrudescence of Panama revelations shows a systematic plot to hunt M. Clemenceau out of public life. It appears now likely to succeed."

"French detectives have concentrated their efforts in their search of Arton upon the movements of the Viennese music-hall singer, who was his supposed mistress. The latter, in an interview, declared that she had been offered large bribes, but would not betray Arton, with whom she has been in constant communication. Arton, she said, did not fear arrest, as he was an expert linguist and actor was an adept at disguising himself, and he would travel and talk with the detectives who were searching for him. At the same time she expressed surprise at the anxiety to find out where he was, and she said she would greatly embarrass the authorities."

#### Rioters Killed by Gendarmes.

VIENNA, March 2.—A riot attended by severe fighting and bloodshed has occurred in the town of Szoboszo, Hungary. The cause of the outbreak was the imposition of new market tolls, which the populace of Szoboszo and of the Haiduk district generally strongly resisted. A mob of people from that town and the adjoining districts gathered in Szoboszo, and the tolls had been offered large bribes, but would not betray Arton, with whom she has been in constant communication. Arton, she said, did not fear arrest, as he was an expert linguist and actor was an adept at disguising himself, and he would travel and talk with the detectives who were searching for him. At the same time she expressed surprise at the anxiety to find out where he was, and she said she would greatly embarrass the authorities."

#### Ready to Surrender to Their Successors.

LONDON, March 2.—Minister Lincoln is preparing to forward his resignation on the 4th of March, upon the inauguration of President Cleveland. Dispatches from Rome, St. Petersburg and Berlin are to the effect that Mr. Porter, American minister to Italy, Mr. White, American minister to Russia, and Mr. Phelps, American minister to Germany, are all sending in their resignations, all to take effect upon the arrival of their successors.

#### Cleveland's Cabinet Approved.

LONDON, March 3.—The Daily Chronicle says editorially of President Cleveland's Cabinet: "By selecting such men as Judge Graham and Mr. Carlisle Mr. Cleveland has given an earnest desire to throw himself upon the better elements of his country regardless of party tie. Prominence is likely to be the dominant policy of the incoming administration."

#### Hundreds of Gentlemen Drowned.

PATNA, March 2.—Campanian valley, Guatemala, has been flooded. Six villages have been swept away, and hundreds of people are reported drowned.

#### Cable Notes.

The German government will send the corvette Empress of Austria, and the cruiser Siedler, to the naval review at New York.

Miss May McCallan, daughter of the late Gen. George B. McClellan, has become a Roman Catholic, and has been baptized in the Church of St. Joseph, in Paris.

#### The Bill Placing the Control of the Sale of Spirituous Liquors in the Hands of Local Licensing Boards, the profits to be devoted to a reduction of rates, passed its first reading in the British House of Lords yesterday.

#### Two Missionary Bishops Elected.

NEW YORK, March 2.—The house of bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in session this morning, elected to the bishopric of the Hawaiian Islands, a young layman, and a missionary bishop to Shanghai, Rev. Frederick R. Graves. The latter was elected at the general conference in October, just as the session

was about closed, and there were not enough members in the lower house of deputies to sign his commission according to law. Both